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Troy Police Tactical Support Team and Beaumont Hospital, Troy **Conduct Joint Training on Active Shooter Incident Protocol**

On Wednesday, April 24, 2013 the Troy Police Tactical Support Team in conjunction with Beaumont Hospital, Troy, conducted an active shooter incident training protocol at the Troy hospital.

The training was held in an area of the facility that was finished but unoccupied. Eighty-three Beaumont employees took part in the training along with several Troy police officers, command officers and the Troy Police Chief.

“It was a pleasure to work jointly with the Troy Police Department on this project,” said Doris Neumeyer, Emergency Preparedness Coordinator at Beaumont, Troy. “This was great training for everyone involved as each scenario was modeled after real events that have occurred in our society.”

The objectives of the training were for staff to experience an active shooter situation in a safe environment and to determine what additional training and/or education is needed in response to an active shooter situation. The training was accompanied by a pre-training safety briefing and de-briefing after each scenario.

“I am very pleased with the response from the employees who wanted to be a part of this training exercise,” said Nancy Susick, hospital president. “We are very fortunate to have the Troy Police Department as one of our community partners and look forward to our continued collaboration.”

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The Troy Police Department would like to thank Beaumont Hospital, Troy for their excellent partnership and allowing our Tactical Support Team to gain valuable training and experience. We also appreciate the large number of Beaumont staff volunteers who acted as role players during the scenario training. It is these partnerships which improve relationships and make Troy a better place to live, work and play